

ALL THE NEWS IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS

AUTO RACES SEEN
BY 250,000 PEOPLE

Dark Horse Wins Great Contest at Crown Point.

GUARDSMEN PATROL COURSE

In Spite of All Precautions, a Score of Spectators and Soldiers Are Injured—Matson, Driving Chalmers-Detroit, Averages More Than Fifty-one Miles an Hour, and Is Winner.

Crown Point, Ind., June 18.—Joe Matson, of Boston, a dark horse in automobile racing, driving a little Chalmers-Detroit "Blue Bird" car, won the great Indiana Trophy contest in sensational style this afternoon, beating such veteran drivers as George Robertson, the last Vanderbilt Cup winner, Jimmy Floyd, and other masters of the sport.

He took the lead in the third lap, and was not headed, except for a few minutes in the fifth lap, during the remainder of the race drawing steadily ahead and winning at an elapsed time of 4:31.21.

The mob, frenzied with enthusiasm, picked Matson up and lifted him bodily from the car. For ten minutes he was carried on the shoulders of the cheering men, unable to escape.

Robertson Is Second.

George Robertson in the Locomobile was second, making a time of 4:39.33, and Adolph Monson, another dark horse, driving a Marmon "Ghost Chaser," and the idol of the Indiana contingent, was third, with 4:42.02.

The order of the finish follows:
First—Chalmers-Detroit (Matson), 4:31.21. Tenth lap, 25.29.
Second—Locomobile (Robertson), 4:39.33. Tenth lap, 26.11.
Third—Marmon (Stutz), 4:42.02. Tenth lap, 26.29.
Fourth—Locomobile (Floyd), 4:43.32. Tenth lap, 26.38.
Fifth—Stoddard-Dayton (Wiseman), 4:44.35. Tenth lap, 26.41.
Sixth—Moore (Wells), 4:47.27. Tenth lap, 26.51.

The race was filled with exciting and sensational incidents, and the accidents and hairbreadth escapes from death were many. The greatest crowd in the history of automobile racing in the West, estimated at more than 250,000 persons, lined the course and were thrilled with excitement at the speed of the death-defying drivers.

Time Is Fast.
Considering the extremely dangerous turns in the course, and the loose surface, which was torn off and worn into ruts in a couple of hours, the time was fast, Matson averaging more than fifty-one miles an hour from start to finish of the 250 miles.

The day was ideal for a race, with a bright sun and a pleasant breeze. The race course was well handled, the National Guardsmen of the First Illinois Regiment patrolling the course by the permission of the Indiana authorities, keeping the spectators in safe places. In spite of all precautions, however, a score of spectators and soldiers were injured during the day.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

Roanoke Takes Second Place—Lynchburg Leaves Cellar.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

| Team | W. | L. | P. |
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| Richmond | 10 | 1 | 1 |
| Norfolk | 9 | 2 | 1 |
| Lynchburg | 8 | 3 | 1 |
| Roanoke | 7 | 4 | 1 |
| Portsmouth | 6 | 5 | 1 |

Lynchburg, 2; Richmond, 0.

Richmond, Va., June 18.—The game went seven innings this afternoon before either side could complete the circle of bases, but Lynchburg finally turned the trick. Another score was tallied for the visitors in the next inning, which was the end of the score getting and meant the game. Score: Richmond..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 R. H. E. Lynchburg..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 2 0 2 2

Batteries—Busey and Mossitt; Moore and Pratt. Umpire—Mr. Black. Time of game—1 hour and 27 minutes. Attendance—2,200.

Roanoke, 5; Portsmouth, 3.

Roanoke, Va., June 18.—Roanoke won from Portsmouth to-day through numerous errors. Portsmouth's errors gave Roanoke to-day's game by the score of 5 to 3, and not one of the runs was earned. All five scores were secured in the fifth and sixth innings from two hits and four errors. Tydemann's running catch of Schrader's hard fly was the sensational feature of the evening. It was the first game that Pitcher Vail has won. Score: Roanoke..... 0 0 0 3 2 0 0 0 3 5 1 1 Portsmouth..... 1 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 3 3 2 2

Batteries—Roanoke, Vail and Ryan; Portsmouth, Cunn and McCauley. Umpire—Mr. Pender. Time of game—1 hour and 15 minutes.

Norfolk Trims Danville Twice.

Norfolk, Va., June 18.—Norfolk trimmed Danville twice this afternoon, the first game, 3 to 1, and the second, a ten-inning affair, 9 to 8. The great pitching of Temple won the first game for the locals, but two scratch hits being made off him. Mayberry was hit hard in the second inning.

Both Volz and Sullivan were ineffective in the second game. They gave frequent bases on balls and were usually hit hard when they got the ball over the plate. Oney and Loos were steady. Norfolk won the game in the tenth on Chandler's hit to left field and steal, Bonner's bunt, and Magee's error at first before anybody was out. Score: Norfolk..... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 2 1 1 Danville..... 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 3 6 2 2

Batteries—Norfolk, Volz and Westlake; Temple and Munson. Umpire—Messrs. Mace and Henniger. Attendance—3,100.

MAY DECIDE TITLE.

Monte Attell Meets Neil for Bantam Championship.

San Francisco, June 18.—Frank C. Neil and Monte Attell will meet at Colma to-morrow afternoon in a fight that will have some bearing on the bantam-weight championship. They will weigh 125 pounds five hours before ring time, and Promoter Coffroth will hand to the winner the championship belt once held by Terry McGovern.

The latter says he still owns this belt, and will bring a suit for its possession if necessary. He says he never pawned it, but left it in the hands of a Chicago sporting man several years ago. Neil, he will not be long without a challenge. He says he never pawned it, but left it in the hands of a Chicago sporting man several years ago. Neil, he will not be long without a challenge. He says he never pawned it, but left it in the hands of a Chicago sporting man several years ago.

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MISS DOYLE IS DEFEATED

Loses to Miss Doolittle in M. A. A. Tennis Matches.

Cleveland's victory over New York yesterday, lands the Naps in third place.

Yesterday was Bunker Hill Day in Boston, a holiday, and the two games in the American League drew immense crowds.

You can't keep those Tigers in check long. Jennings' Braves trimmed the Athletics, 4 to 1, yesterday.

Probably the New York Yankees will have recovered from their slump by the time the Nationals hit the metropolis to-day.

Cincinnati is playing good ball right now, but it will be only a question of time before Griffith's team will hit the to-be-expected Exchange.

Asteins is batting for 28 in the National League, and Stange for 28 in the American League. Not half bad for Eastern Leaguers their first season up.

Tim Jordan, who has been laid up with a sprained ankle for a few weeks, says he will be able to play with the Brooklyn when they return from their Western trip.

Left Fielder Chabourne quit the Indianapolis team yesterday and departed for his home at Guilford, Me. He has been dissatisfied for some time. Chabourne played in Baltimore last year.

Lord, the outfielder whom the Athletics turned back to the minors a few seasons ago, is now hitting 250 for Cleveland, leading every Athletic outfielder, except "Dan" Murphy, the transformed second baseman.

Little Rock has been the surprise of the Southern League season so far. "Joe" Casey, the former Hartford backstop, and "Al" Boucher, once with Holyoke at shortstop, are doing valiant work on the team, so it is reported.

John Kling, former catcher for the Chicago Nationals, is said to have bought the franchise of the Pueblo Baseball Club, of the Western League, intending to take the team to St. Joseph, Mo. Kling caught for St. Joseph in the old Western League.

Judging by the way that young Miller is playing second base and hitting the ball for the Pirates, it certainly looks now as if big "Abby" who was the Pirates' regular second baseman last year, will adorn the bench for the remainder of the season.

John T. Brush did not pay \$5,000 for the release of Durham. That squib has started the rounds again. Two paid exactly \$1,500 and took him on because it looked as if he might have a good year in the National League this season. He is not a bad pitcher, but he is likely to have a bad inning.

McAleer's St. Louis players declare that Criss is the champion "sky-denter" of the world. They say several balls hit by Criss have come down covered with snow, and that one didn't come down until after the game was over, when it was caught by the groundskeeper—Detroit Journal.

Mike Donlin will arrive in New York July 14, and on the following day will sail with his wife, Mabel Hite, for England, where he will fill several weeks' engagements at the English music halls.

Mike says he has no intention of playing ball this year, and will not see President Brush while he is in town.

RACING CARDS FOR TO-DAY.

Gravesend.

FIRST RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; six furlongs.

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| Lawton Wiggins | 116 | Barham | 100 |
| W. Phipps | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

SECOND RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

THIRD RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

FOURTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

FIFTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

SIXTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

SEVENTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

EIGHTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

NINTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

TENTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

ELEVENTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

TWELFTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

THIRTEENTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

FOURTEENTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

FIFTEENTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

SIXTEENTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

SEVENTEENTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

EIGHTEENTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

NINETEENTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

TWENTIETH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

TWENTY-FIRST RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

TWENTY-SECOND RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

TWENTY-THIRD RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

TWENTY-FOURTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

TWENTY-FIFTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

TWENTY-SIXTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

TWENTY-SEVENTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

TWENTY-EIGHTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

TWENTY-NINTH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

THIRTIETH RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

THIRTY-FIRST RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |

THIRTY-SECOND RACE—Five furlongs; two-year-olds and upward.

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| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | 100 |
| Hoffman | 104 | Cordova | 99 |
| W. Smith | 113 | W. Smith | |